

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Allegation of violation of Conduct Rules against Sri A.Narayana Raju, the then Asst. City Planner, Visakhapatnam trapped by ACB – Departmental proceedings initiated under rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Inquiry conducted – Enquiry Report of the Inquiring Authority submitted – Punishment of 2.5% cut in pension for a period of two years – Imposed - Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.I(i)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.474

Dated:10.04.2012.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.1534, MA & UD (Vig.I(i)) Department, Dated 14.11.2005.
2. From Sri A.Narayana Raju, Asst. City Planner, Municipal Corporation of Visakhapatnam, Expln. Dated 22.12.2003.
3. G.O.Rt.No.91, MA&UD (Vig.III) Deptt., dated 22.1.2007.
4. G.O.Rt.No.92, MA&UD (Vig.III) Deptt., dated 22.1.2007.
1. From Sri Janak Raj, IPS (Retd.), D.O.Lr. No.50/COI.JR/2007, dated 30-9-2009.
2. Govt.Memo.No.24190/Vig.I(i)/2003, MA&UD Deptt., dt.21.8.2010.
3. From Sri A.Narayana Raju, the then Asst. City Planner, Municipal Corporation of Visakhapatnam, Reptn. Dated 20.9.2010.
- 8.G.O.Rt.No.633, MA&UD (Vig.I(i)) Deptt., dt. 26.5.2011.
- 9.From DTCP, Hyd. Lr.Roc.No.6353/2011/M1, dated 7.7.2011. .8.2011.
10. Govt. memo.No.24190/Vig.I(i)/2003-30, MA&UD Deptt., dated 22.7.2011.
11. From DTCP, Hyd. Lr.Roc.No.6353/2011/M1, dt. 9.8.2011.
- 12.Govt. Lr.No.24190/Vig.I(i)/2003, MA&UD Deptt., dt.9.9.2011.
- 13.From the Secy., APPSC, Hyd. Lr.No.1430/RT-I/2011, dated 11.10.2011.
- 14.Govt. Memo. No.2419/Vig.I(i)/2003-31, MA&UD Deptt., dated 19.12.2011.
- 15.From Sri A.Narayana Raju, RDTP (Retd.), explanation dated 24.12.2011.
16. Govt. Lr.No.24190/Vig.I(i)/2003, MA&UD Deptt., dt.9.2.2012.
- 17.From the Secy. APPSC, Hyd. Lr.No.1430/RT-I/3/2011, dated 2.3.2012.

ORDER:

Whereas, orders were issued framing the charges against Sri A.Narayana Raju, Asst. City Planner, Municipal Corporation of Visakhapatnam vide G.O 1st read above, on violation of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964, in terms of Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 with a direction to submit written statement of defense.

2. After examination of the Written Statement of Defence of the C.O., in the reference 3rd read above, orders were issued appointing Sri Janak Raj, IPS (Retd.), COI, GAD as Inquiry Authority to enquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer. In the reference 5th read above, the Commissioner of Inquiries has forwarded his inquiry report to Govt.,

3. And whereas, in the reference 6th read above, while communicating Enquiry Report alongwith the disagreement factors, on the findings of the Enquiry Officer, the Charged Officer, Sri A.Narayana Raju, ACP, has been requested to submit his written explanation. The C.O. has submitted his explanation and requested for dropping further action.

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4. Government after careful examination of the matter after duly obtaining advice of the advisory authority, have decided to impose a punishment of one increment without cumulative effect against him and accordingly, orders were issued imposing punishment of One increment without cumulative effect on Sri A.Narayana Raju, the then Asst. City Planner, formerly Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, vide reference 8th read above. In the reference 9th read above, the Director of Town and Country Planning, Hyderabad has informed that Sri A.Narayana Raju was retiring from service on the AN of 30.11.2011, on attaining the age of superannuation. On the due date, annual grade increment was already granted vide proceedings dated 18.5.2011 and no increments to be sanctioned to the above officer before his retirement. Hence, the punishment orders issued by the Government i.e., stoppage of one increment without cumulative effect cannot be implemented.

5. In reply to Government Memo. 10th read above, the Director of Town and Country Planning, Hyderabad, has furnished the punishment of 2.5% cut in pension for two years against him, which is equivalent to the above penalty, vide reference 11th read above.

6. In the reference 13th read above, as per the advice of the A.P.Public Service Commission, a revised show-cause notice has been issued to the above Charged Officer (Retd.), with a request to submit his written explanation, if any, on the proposal to impose a punishment of 2.5% cut in pension for a period of two years, vide reference 14th read above. In the reference 15th read above, Sri A.Narayana Raju, Regional Director of Town Planning, (Retd.), among others, has requested to withdraw the punishment to be imposed of 2.5% on him and drop further action in the matter.

7. In the reference 16th read above, after examining the matter, the Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad has been addressed for concurrence, on the proposal. In the reference 17th read above, the Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, has conveyed the concurrence to the above proposal of Government, i.e., to impose a penalty of 2.5% cut in pension for a period of two years against the Charged Officer.

8. Government after examination of the matter, hereby impose punishment of 2.5% cut in pension for two years on Sri A.Narayana Raju, Regional Director of Town Planning (Retd.), as per Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

9. The Director of Town and Country Planning, Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.SAM BOB
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri A.Narayana Raju, Regional Deputy Director of Town Planning, Ananthapur (Retd.) through the Director of Town and Country Planning, Hyderabad.

The Director of Town and Country Planning, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commission, APVC, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

The Prl. Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Hyderabad.

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